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### PETER OF SERVIA WOULD ABDICATE

#### Aged Monarch Wants to Surrender Throne to His Son.

Geneva.—It is an open secret in European diplomatic circles that the aged King Peter of Serbia wishes to abdicate in favor of his son and settle down in private life in Geneva. His majesty has a large circle of private friends here, he having passed ten



Photo by American Press Association.  
KING PETER OF SERVIA.  
years here for the education of his two boys.  
For more than a year past private emissaries have been on the lookout trying to find a suitable residence for the old king, but the notorious conduct of his son and how to the throne has somewhat discouraged his original plans, and he is advised that his second son is still too young to assume the responsibility of a ruler.  
The day after the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga King Peter said—he was then Prince Karageorgevitch—that he abhorred the terrible crime, in which he took no part whatever. He added that he was too old to accept the throne, but that

he had no choice in the circumstances. As soon as affairs permitted he would return to the quiet life of a country gentleman in Geneva.  
During all these years his majesty has kept up his correspondence with his former friends here and in private letters has stated quite recently that he hopes to be in Geneva again at no distant date. As he put it, "Now that the war is over, I can finish my days in peace with honor."

### LEOPARD IN ALL DAY VIGIL.

#### When Mate Dies It Moans and Refuses Food For a Day.

New York.—From 10 o'clock in the morning until late at night Sultan, a snow leopard, four years old, stood with his fore feet planted across the body of his dead mate, Sultana, in a forty foot square outdoor cage in the Bronx zoo.

At intervals he raised his head and roared long and plaintively. Every time he did this the lions and jaguars on either side of the leopard cage raised their voices in a deep throated plaint.

In an effort to make Sultan abandon his death watch Keeper David Schwartz placed a big, juicy porterhouse steak in the section of the cage inside the animal house, but Sultan paid no attention to it.

When asked when he expected to remove Sultana's body Schwartz said, "Well, I wouldn't go in there while Sultan is grieving—not for twenty days."

### RAISED ARMY FOR MEXICO.

#### Californian Held Up Eight Men and Drilled Them For an Hour.

San Rafael, Cal.—An attempt to organize a company of soldiers for the purpose, he said, of marching on Mexico landed Henry Klopp, caretaker of a large estate near here, in jail.

Klopp shouldered a rifle, went to a county highway and halted men on the road until he had accumulated an "army" of eight. For an hour he drilled them.

Word reached the sheriff's office that the men were being held prisoners, and a deputy slipped up behind Klopp and with the butt of his gun knocked him down. Klopp's gun was found to be empty. He will be examined for his sanity.

The Canby postoffice was robbed last week, the robbers leaving no clew except the tools with which they had forced the doors. The office has no safe, as the postmaster keeps his supplies in the bank vault, and as near as can be ascertained the loot taken consists of \$10 in money and part of a book of money orders containing 14 blank orders.

A woman prohibitionist, who wants to get married, has been informed by the secretary of state of California that she must run in the final election for the legislature under the same name she used in the primaries.

Four state banks in Chicago, with aggregate deposits of \$6,411,977, and reported cash means of \$1,434,692, were taken charge of by the state banking department, which closed the bank doors and began examination of the banks' affairs.

With the avowed intent to defeat Senator Smoot for re-election the democratic and progressive state conventions, held separately in Salt Lake, combined on a state ticket, nominating James H. Moyle, of Salt Lake, democrat, for the senate; Frank B. Stephens, of Salt Lake, democrat, for supreme court justice; James H. Mays of Salt Lake, Progressive, and Lewis Larson, of Mantli, progressive, for representatives.

### People in the News

Harry Thaw has been granted permission to go from New Hampshire to Pittsburg to testify regarding litigation affecting the estate of his father.

Thomas Lawson, the financier of Boston, Mass., will spend the entire summer in Oregon.

Judge Ben Lindsey of Denver caused a sensation by accusing Major J. Broughton of making false statements regarding the battle at Ludlow, during the miners' strike.

Miss Sylvia Pankhurst, suffragette leader, was arrested in London as she was preparing to lead a small army of her followers in a march on the parliament house.

The present business depression is due largely to a state of mind, according to a statement issued by Frank A. Vanderlip, at a meeting of the New York Bankers' association.

General Villa has notified the state department at Washington that the property left by William Benton, British subject, who was killed in Mexico, would be protected in the interests of the widow.

Vice President Marshall scored the practice of usurious profits in an address before the University of Maine. Changed public opinion should be the aim of young men who assume to take leadership, he said.

Marshall Cushing, editor of How, a magazine representing the big manufacturers, denied the existence of a plan to boycott newspapers by withholding advertising from those who opposed their interests.

### Notice of Sale of State Lands.

Notice is hereby given that the State Land Board of the State of Oregon will receive sealed bids until 10 o'clock a. m. July 14, 1914, for the following described lands, to-wit:

Sectin 36, T. 13 S. R. 42 E.  
S½ of NE¼, NE¼ of NW¼, N½ of SE¼, SE¼ of SW¼ and lots 1, 2 and 4 of Section 16, T. 16 S. R. 40 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 32 S. R. 43 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 32 S. R. 44 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 33 S. R. 44 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 33 S. R. 45 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 34 S. R. 45 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 36 S. R. 44 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 36 S. R. 45 E.  
S½ of section 16, all of section 36, T. 36 S. R. 46 E.

Sections 16 and 36, T. 36 S. R. 47 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 36 S. R. 48 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 37 S. R. 44 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 37 S. R. 45 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 37 S. R. 46 E.  
Sections 16 and 36, T. 37 S. R. 48 E.  
All bids must be accompanied by a regularly executed application to purchase and check or draft for at least one-fifth of the amount of the bid.

The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

Application and bids should be addressed to G. G. Brown, clerk state land board, Salem, Oregon, and marked "Application and bid to purchase state lands."

G. G. BROWN,  
Clerk State Land Board.  
Dated May 1, 1914. St

### Seven Sisters Bills Debate Invited.

North Yakima, Wash.—C. G. Kegley, master of the Washington State Grange, which began its annual session here Tuesday, issued a challenge to any representative of the Stop, Look and Listen League to discuss publicly the Seven Sisters bills at the convention or elsewhere in the state.

### Shifting Wind Saves Town.

Bandon.—Three blocks in the heart of the business section were destroyed by fire here. A shifting wind was all that saved the entire town from destruction. The loss is estimated at \$300,000.

### Peach Crop is Promising.

Cottage Grove.—The peach crop in this section promises to be unusually large this season. While this crop is usually the most susceptible to frosts, and there were several late frosts this year that caused some injury to cherries and berries, peaches seem to have escaped entirely.



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